

MERIDIAN OIL

Received 12/8/93

December 2, 1993
Federal Express

Mr. William LeMay
New Mexico Oil Conservation Division
310 Old Santa Fe Trail
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

Re: Southland Royalty Company- Hanks #18M
1610'FSL, 1070'FEL
Section 5, T-27-N, R-9-W, San Juan County, NM

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Sincerely yours,



Peggy Bradfield

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By: _____ Date: _____

xc: Amoco Production
Conoco, Inc.
Dugan Production
Richardson Operating Company

Submit to Appropriate District Office
 State Lease - 4 copies
 Fee Lease - 3 copies

State of New Mexico
 Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Form C-102
 Revised 1-1-89

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

P.O. Box 2088

Sanza Fe, New Mexico 87504-2088

DISTRICT I
 P.O. Box 1980, Hobbs, NM 88240

DISTRICT II
 P.O. Drawer DD, Artesia, NM 88210

DISTRICT III
 1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

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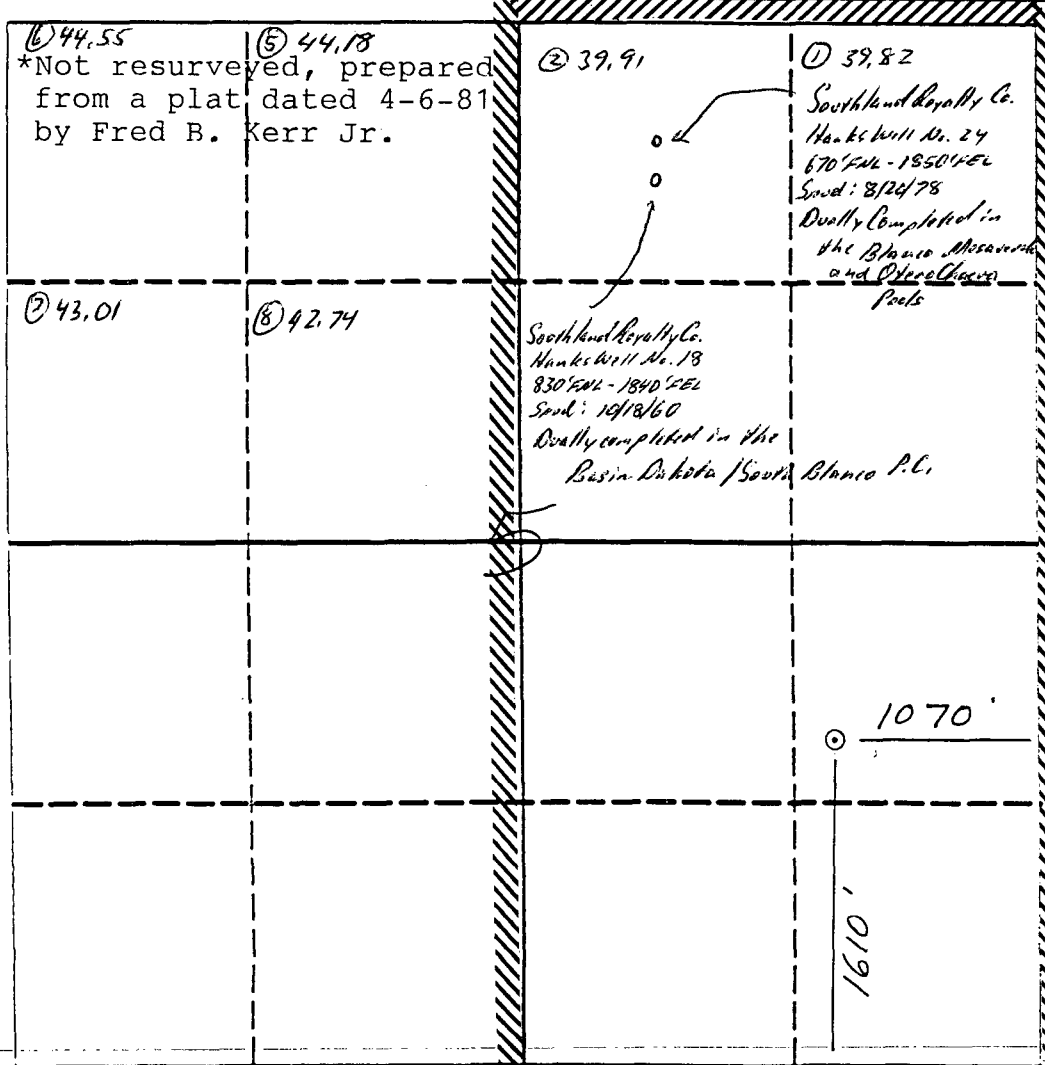
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OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature
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Printed Name
Regulatory Representative

Position
Southland Royalty Co

Company

Date

SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. 11-22-93

Date Surveyed
New Mexico
Signature
Professional Surveyor
6857

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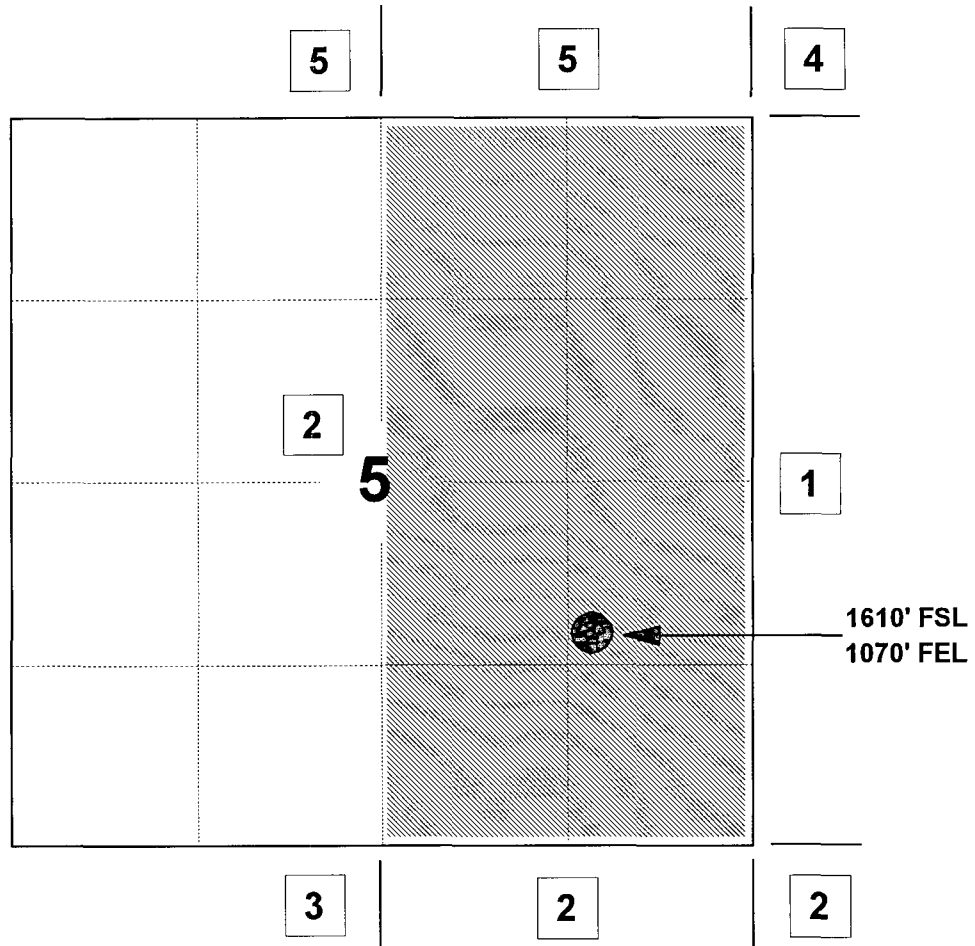
MERIDIAN OIL INC

HANKS #18M

OFFSET OPERATOR \ OWNER PLAT

Unorthodox Fruitland Coal Well Location

Township 27 North, Range 9 West



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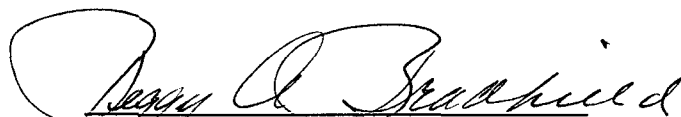
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Peggy Bradfield
Notary Public
San Juan County, New Mexico

My commission expires August 17, 1996.

**UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY**

SUBMIT IN DUPLIC.

(See other instructions on reverse side)

Form approved.
Budget Bureau No. 42-R355.5.

WELL COMPLETION OR RECOMPLETION REPORT AND LOG *

1a. TYPE OF WELL: OIL WELL <input type="checkbox"/> GAS WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DRY <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		5. LEASE DESIGNATION AND SERIAL NO. <i>SF-077874</i>	
b. TYPE OF COMPLETION: NEW WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WORK OVER <input type="checkbox"/> DEEP-EN <input type="checkbox"/> PLUG BACK <input type="checkbox"/> DIFF. RESVR. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		6. IF INDIAN, ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME	
2. NAME OF OPERATOR <i>Southland Royalty Company</i>		7. UNIT AGREEMENT NAME	
3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR <i>P.O. Drawer 570, Farmington, N.M. 87499-0570</i>		8. FARM OR LEASE NAME <i>Hanks</i>	
4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements)* At surface <i>1610' FSL & 1070' FEL</i> At top prod. interval reported below At total depth		9. WELL NO. <i>18-M</i>	
14. PERMIT NO.		DATE ISSUED <i>OCT 14 1981</i>	
15. DATE SPUNDED <i>4-28-81</i>		16. DATE T.D. REACHED <i>5-17-81</i>	
17. DATE COMPL. (Ready to prod.) <i>8-20-81</i>		18. ELEVATIONS (DF, RKB, RT, GR, ETC.)* <i>6466' GL</i>	
19. ELEV. CASINGHEAD		10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Basin, Dakota <i>Blanco Mesa Verde</i>	
20. TOTAL DEPTH, MD & TVD <i>7105'</i>		21. PLUG, BACK T.D., MD & TVD <i>7060'</i>	
22. IF MULTIPLE COMPL., HOW MANY*		23. INTERVALS DRILLED BY <i>→</i>	
24. PRODUCING INTERVAL(S), OF THIS COMPLETION—TOP, BOTTOM, NAME (MD AND TVD)* <i>6913'-7072' (Dakota)</i>		25. WAS DIRECTIONAL SURVEY MADE <i>Deviation</i>	
26. TYPE ELECTRIC AND OTHER LOGS RUN <i>GR-Density and GR-CBL/CCL</i>		27. WAS WELL CORED <i>no</i>	
28. CASING RECORD (Report all strings set in well)			
CASINO SIZE	WEIGHT, LB./FT.	DEPTH SET (MD)	HOLE SIZE
<i>8-5/8"</i>	<i>24#</i>	<i>235'</i>	<i>12-1/4"</i>
<i>5-1/2"</i>	<i>17# & 15.50#</i>	<i>7105'</i>	<i>7-7/8"</i>
CEMENTING RECORD		AMOUNT PULLED	
<i>160 sacks</i>			
<i>690 sacks (3 stages)</i>			
29. LINER RECORD			
SIZE	TOP (MD)	BOTTOM (MD)	SACKS CEMENT*
<i>---</i>	<i>---</i>	<i>---</i>	<i>---</i>
30. TUBING RECORD			
SIZE	DEPTH SET (MD)	PACKER SET (MD)	
<i>1-1/2"</i>	<i>7046'</i>	<i>5182'</i>	
31. PERFORATION RECORD (Interval, size and number) <i>Dakota: 6913', 6919', 6925', 6932', 6938', 7015', 7026', 7032', 7044', 7050', 7056', 7072'. (Total of 12 holes)</i>			
32. ACID, SHOT, FRACTURE, CEMENT SQUEEZE, ETC.			
DEPTH INTERVAL (MD)		AMOUNT AND KIND OF MATERIAL USED	
<i>6913'-7072'</i>		<i>Frac'd with 83,000 gals of 30# gel water and 68,000# of 20/40 sand.</i>	
33.* PRODUCTION			
DATE FIRST PRODUCTION	PRODUCTION METHOD (Flowing, gas lift, pumping—size and type of pump)		WELL STATUS (Producing or shut-in)
	<i>Flowing</i>		<i>Shut-In</i>
DATE OF TEST	HOURS TESTED	CHOKE SIZE	PROD'N. FOR TEST PERIOD
<i>9-01-81</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3/4"</i>	<i>→</i>
FLOW. TUBING PRESS.	CASING PRESSURE	CALCULATED 24-HOUR RATE	OIL—BBL. GAS—MCF. WATER—BBL. OIL-GRAVITY-API (CORR.)
<i>55</i>	<i>---</i>	<i>→</i>	<i>771</i>
34. DISPOSITION OF GAS (Sold, used for fuel, vented, etc.) <i>Sold</i>			TEST WITNESSED BY <i>Larry Bannowsky</i>
35. LIST OF ATTACHMENTS			

36. I hereby certify that the foregoing and attached information is complete and correct as determined from all available records.

SIGNED

[Signature]

TITLE *Dist. Production Manager*

DATE *October 9, 1981*

*(See Instructions and Spaces for Additional Data on Reverse Side)

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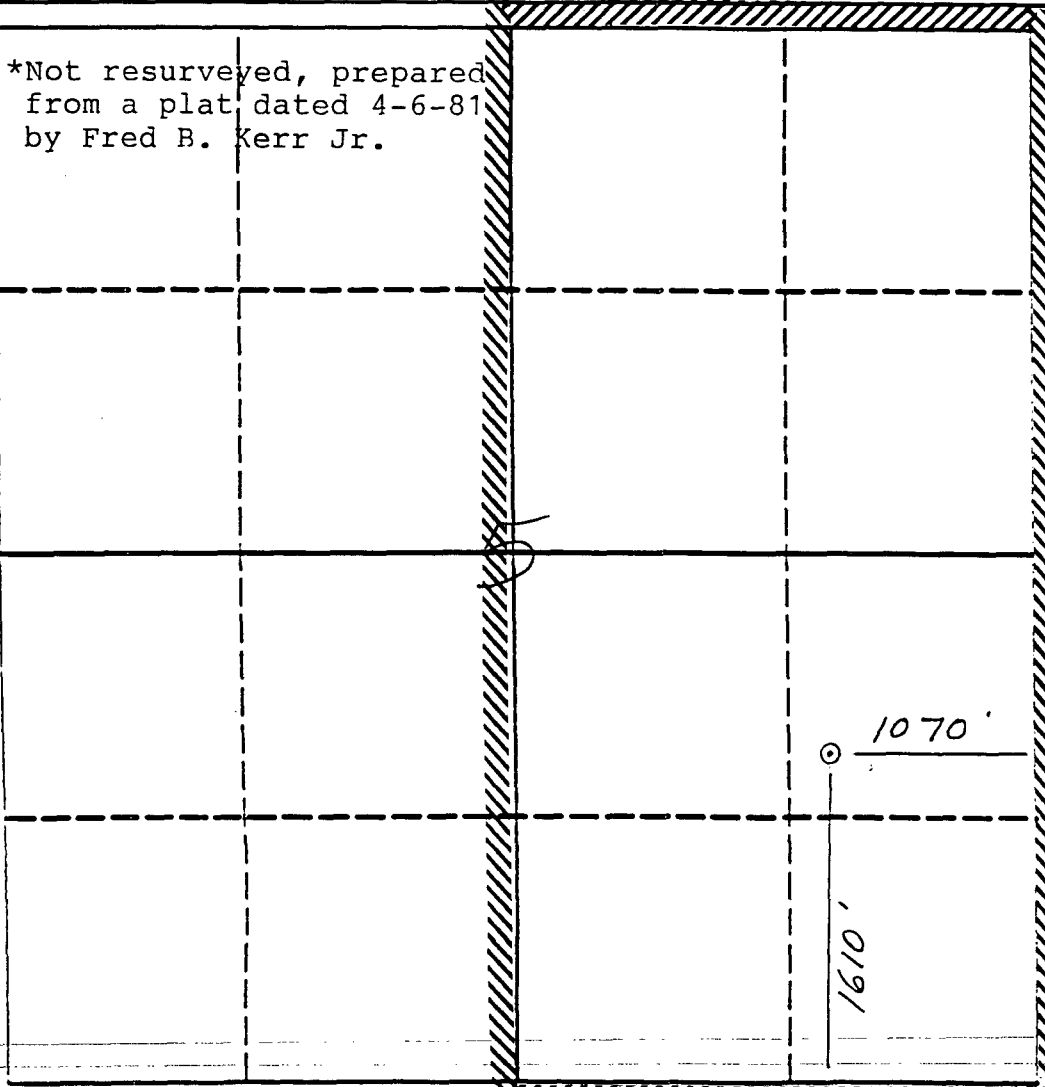
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*Not resurveyed, prepared from a plat dated 4-6-81 by Fred B. Kerr Jr.



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Certificate No.

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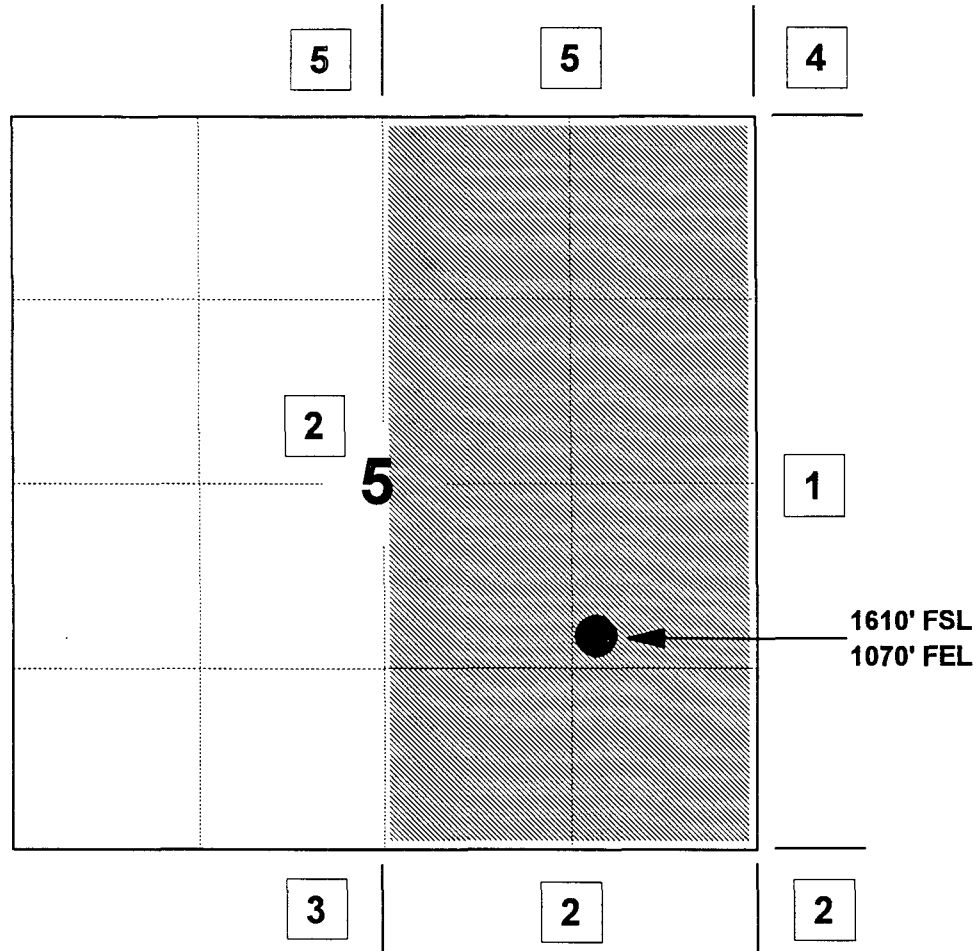
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By: Peggy Sutko Analyst - Finance Date: 1/4/94

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By: Joe H. Gault Date: 12-6-93

xc: Amoco Production
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By: Pete Lora, V.P. Date: 12/8/93

xc: Amoco Production
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Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells

1. Type of Well
GAS

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SF-077874
6. If Indian, All. or
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7. Unit Agreement Name

2. Name of Operator
Southland Royalty

8. Well Name & Number
Hanks #18M
9. API Well No.

3. Address & Phone No. of Operator
PO Box 4289, Farmington, NM 87499 (505) 326-9700

4. Location of Well, Footage, Sec., T, R, M
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Blanco MV/Basin Dk
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San Juan Co, NM

12. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OTHER DATA

Type of Submission

Type of Action

- | | | |
|--|---|--|
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Meridian Oil has evaluated this wellbore and is applying for a long-term shut in because the well is unable to buck line pressure. At such time when additional mainline capacity is increased and pressure decrease, the wellbore will be evaluated for economic productivity.

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DIST. 3

SEE SEARCHED FOR
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

THIS APPROVAL EXPIRES APR 20 1994

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070 FARMINGTON, NM
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14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signed [Signature] (MP) Title Regulatory Affairs Date 5/10/93

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APPROVED BY _____ Title _____ Date _____

CONDITION OF APPROVAL, if any:

APPROVED
MAY 13 1993
DISTRICT MANAGER

submitted in lieu of Form 3160-5

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Signed [Signature] (JAS) Title Regulatory Affairs Date 3-31-92

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APPROVED BY [Signature] Title AREA MANAGER

CONDITION OF APPROVAL, if any:

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Meridian Oil is currently evaluating this wellbore for uphole potential. After geological and reservoir analyses have been completed, we will provide plans for disposition of this well. We intend to submit a sundry notice on or before April 1, 1992 stating our plans.

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DIST. 3

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Signed *[Signature]* (JAS) Title Regulatory Affairs Date 11-1-91
ACCEPTED FOR RECORD

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RE: Proposed MC _____
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Gentlemen:

I have examined the application received on 12-3-93
 for the Mendocino Oil Tract OPERATOR HANKS # 1801 LEASE & WELL NO.

I-5-27N-09W and my recommendations are as follows:
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Approve

Yours truly,

James Bond